ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A method for controlling the foaming of an aqueous organic compound-containing composition by the incorporation of a foam controlling amount of a compound of the formula:

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
R & O-R' \\
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R & R & OH
\end{array}$$

where n and m are 2 or 3,

10 x is 1-6,

$$R = H \text{ or } O-R'$$
OH, and

R' is a C4 to C22 alkyl group,

where R' is a C4 to C22 alkyl group, the compound generating an initial foam height at least 30% less than a 0.1 wt% aqueous solution of dioctyl sodium sulfosuccinate (DOSS) when added at 0.1 wt% to the DOSS solution.

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